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TAGS: PFOR, SCUL, GE, US
SUBJECT: OPENING OF DRESDEN ART EXHIBIT: INVITATION TO
GDR MINISTER HOFFMANN

REF: STATE 079052, STATE 080054

1. EMBASSY PLEASED TO LEARN THAT DECISION HAS BEEN
MADE TO INVITE GDR CULTURE MINISTER HOFFMANN TO OPEN
DRESDEN ART EXHIBIT WASHINGTON, MAY 31 (REFTELS). IN
THIS CONNECTION WE WOULD APPRECIATE LEARNING ON WHOSE
BEHALF (E.G. ICA, STATE, NATIONAL GALLERY, ETC.)
OFFICIAL INVITATION WILL BE EXTENDED. WE RECOMMEND
THAT EMBASSY BERLIN SHOULD CONVEY THE INVITATION TO THE
MINISTER'S OFFICE, AND BELIEVE, IN TERMS OF TIME
REQUIRED FOR ARRANGEMENTS FOR TRAVEL, PROGRAM, ETC. IT
WOULD BE APPROPRIATE TO DO SO IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

2. WE WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE LEARNING CURRENT WASHINGTON
THINKING ON POSSIBLE PROGRAM FOR HOFFMANN. WE THINK IT
WOULD BE APPROPRIATE FOR HOFFMANN TO PAY CALLS ON SUCH
OFFICIALS AS ICA DIRECTOR REINHARDT AND EUR ASSISTANT
SECY. VEST. IN TERMS OF CULTURAL EVENTS, WE HOPE SOME-
THING CAN BE WORKED OUT AT KENNEDY CENTER, WOLFTRAP FARM
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AND/OR ARENA STAGE, WHICH ARE TYPES OF FACILITIES NOT
GENERALLY KNOWN HERE.

3. GIVEN THE CURRENT GENERALLY FAVORABLE ATMOSPHERE OF
US-GDR RELATIONS, AND PROGRESS WE ARE MAKING HERE IN
CULTURAL PROGRAM, AS WELL AS FACT THAT HOFFMANN WILL BE
HIGHEST LEVEL GDR OFFICIAL TO RECEIVE AN OFFICIAL US

INVITATION, I URGE THAT EVERY EFFORT BE MADE TO MOVE
AHEAD SOON ON HOFFMANN INVITATION/PROGRAM. A SUCCESSFUL
VISIT WOULD SERVE OVER-ALL U.S. INTERESTS AND ESPECIALLY
CONTRIBUTE IN IMPORTANT WAY TO IMPLEMENTATION OF OUR
CULTURAL/INFORMATION GOALS/OBJECTIVES HERE. BOLEN

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